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Lesson Five- Uthman Ibn Affan (R.A.)

- Uthman Ibn Affan (R.A.) entered Islam through the influence of Abu Bakr (R.A.)
- He was born 5 years after the prophet (ﷺ)
- He had a very noble respectable and virtuous personality
- He had a lot of money but was very modest and abstinent
- Ruqayya (R.A.) – the prophet's (ﷺ) daughter was married to him after he became Muslim
- He was one of the first to migrate to Abyssinia with his wife
- After Ruqayya (R.A.) passed away he married her sister Umm Kulthum (R.A.)
- His nickname was "Dhunnu-Rayn"- the possessor of two lights because he was married to two of the prophet's (ﷺ) daughters
- He was with the prophet (ﷺ) in all the battles
- He was sent to negotiate with the Quraish during the treaty of Hudaibiyyah
- During the expedition of Tabuk he made the greatest contribution of 500 camels
- Purchased the well of Ruma in Madinah to provide the Muslims with drinking water
- Huge expansions took place during his time, Islam spread towards Armenia, Azerbaijan, North Africa